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Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 10:08 AM
To: Rawlings, Stephen
Subject: FW: publication date

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From: bjc@ucl.ac.uk [mailto:bjc@ucl.ac.uk]
Sent: Monday, November 24, 2003 9:19 AM
To: Delaval, Jan
Subject: RE: publication date

Dear Ms Delaval

Thank you for your enquiry.

You will appreciate that the paper to which you refer, Ortel et al., British Journal of Cancer, Vol 77 (11), 1998, pages 1744-1751 was published more than five years ago and we do no keep detailed production information in our active files for that length of time.

The cover date for Volume 77 Issue 11 of the British Journal of Cancer was June 1998. It was the first of two June issues (BJC publishes 24 issues per year, approximately fortnightly). Our records indicate that the production schedule was for printed copies to be available on 20 May 1998 in which case the mailing date would have been approximately 22-24 May. UK subscribers could have received their copies as early as 22-23 May, whereas copies sent to the USA would have arrived during the following week. It was the BJC's practice to have copies in the hands of subscribers ahead of the cover date at that time.

I have no reason to believe that that issue was off schedule, but have not yet had the opportunity to search the remaining archived files for the period. Is there any reason for me to do so?

Yours sincerely
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At 16:52 Friday 21/11/2003, you wrote:

>Dear Mr. Welsh -
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>Thank you for your response. Could you kindly inform me of the status of
>my inquiry? You will note that the original request was made on 5
>November 2003, and that I have sent additional requests for assistance.
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>If the information is simply unavailable, then please advise me as such.
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